

Negro Congressman Refuses Cabinet Post



FACES OF MOSLEM children reflect the terror that now rules Algiers. French police today discovered the bodies of five more terrorist victims, driving the toll in the violence-shredded nation to at least 130. Four truckloads of French paratroopers rolled into government square today and broke up one throng of 1,500 Moslems waving Algerian rebel flags and screaming for independence from France. Sources close to the scene now fear the war for independence may engulf Algiers. (UPI Telephoto)

Moon Rocket Explodes Minute After Launching

CAPE CANAVERAL — A trouble-plagued U.S. rocket carrying a miniature "space laboratory" toward the moon exploded in flight one minute after it was fired today.

It was the seventh failure in eight lunar probe launchings for the United States and killed a \$10 million program that was designed to give America its first success at its most elusive target in space. A new moon shot is months away.

HOWEVER, THE flop apparently killed any U.S. hopes of sending a satellite into orbit around the moon in the foreseeable future. The next series of lunar shots will attempt to probe and then hit the moon directly.

Russia has hit the moon once and circled it on another occasion, but no Soviet satellite has accomplished the difficult lunar orbit.

A THREE-STAGE Atlas-Able, last of an ill-fated series with two moon-shot failures already on its record, blasted into a dark, cloudy sky at 1:10 a.m. e.s.t. A little more than 60 seconds later the 100-foot rocket burst into two small flames and then erupted into a mushroom ball of flame, smoke and steel several thousand feet above the Atlantic Ocean.

The wreckage plunged into the ocean a few miles to the southeast of the Cape. It carried with it a 388-pound satellite that scientists had hoped to put into orbit around the moon after a 240,000 mile flight.

The National Space Agency said "an investigation is under way to determine the cause of the malfunction." Officials said the rocket was not deliberately destroyed.

CHECKUP OVER

Ike's Health Said Excellent Today

WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower's general health "continues excellent," his doctors said today after completing his yearly head-to-toe physical check-up.

Maj. Gen. Howard Snyder, the president's physician and Lt. Gen. Leonard Heaton, Army surgeon general, made the report within an hour after the chief executive left Walter Reed Army Medical Center.

EVEN EISENHOWER'S chronic bronchitis and bursitis in his left shoulder have "shown improvement" since his last annual physical examination in late October, 1959, the doctors said.

The President has suffered three major illnesses during his term of office, including a 1955 heart attack, a 1956 ileitis operation and a mild stroke in 1957.

THE STATEMENT indicated that

KING BAUDOUIN'S BRIDE 'NERVOUS'

BRUSSELS — King Baudouin of the Belgians married a shy Spanish noblewoman today in civil and religious ceremonies that brought the bride close to nervous exhaustion.

Dona Fabiola de Mora y Aragon, 32, looked so pale as she began the march down the church aisle that a Red Cross nurse unobtrusively moved in beside her and accompanied her almost to the altar.

BUT WHEN THE mass ended with the playing of Bach's "Magnificat" Fabiola seemed to realize that it was over and that she was truly queen of the Belgians.

Her face lighted with a radiant smile, and she knelt and kissed the hand of Cardinal Van Roey who had been empowered by the Vatican to deliver a special papal blessing.

THEN AS THE royal couple left

Thermal School Bus Collides With Pickup

INDIO — Two Coachella Valley High School students were injured when their pickup truck collided at 8 a.m. today with a Thermal School District bus on Avenue 54 west of Highway 99, the California Highway Patrol reported.

Incomplete reports at press time indicated 16-year-old Janet Durning, driver of the pick-up truck, and a passenger, Gerald Hammond, were taken to Casa Hospital. Hammond reportedly was sent to the hospital by ambulance, and Miss Durning in a passenger car.

Driver of the bus was Don Albert Jones, 65 of Coachella. No injuries of children on the bus were reported this morning.

NPS Christmas Program Set Friday Night

NORTH PALM SPRINGS — An "Old Time" Christmas program will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Friday, by the Community Church of North Palm Springs and the North Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce.

All families of the community are invited. Little children will sing Christmas songs and give recitations, and older children will dramatize the Bible story of the first Christmas.

Following the program, Santa Claus will distribute treats to the children.

Henry Clive Death Reported

Special to The Desert Sun LOS ANGELES — Artist Henry Clive, who had spent recent years in semi-retirement in Palm Springs and in Beverly Hills, died Monday night in Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, it was reported today.

Tammie, First Humane Shelter Mascot, Falls in Play, Struck by Truck, Killed

Tammie's gone.

The little black Scottie, first mascot of the Humane Shelter here and a stage star in last year's production of "Sunrise at Campobello," was struck by a delivery truck last week and killed. The pet of Mrs. Aileen Stephens,

five-year-old Tammie was a familiar sight to visitors and neighbors of his 618 Mesquite Avenue home.

Weather
Desert area forecast:
Variable cloudiness today through Friday. Considerable sunshine both days. Windy and slightly cooler today in northern areas. Highs today 55-66 in upper valleys, 65-75 in lower valleys.
High yesterday was 69, low 37.

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FIGHTING BREAKS OUT IN ETHIOPIA TODAY

Negro Gets Cabinet Bid By Kennedy

Dawson Declines Postmaster General Offer

WASHINGTON — President-elect John F. Kennedy revealed today he had offered the postmaster general job last Tuesday to a Negro congressman, Rep. William Dawson, D-Ill., but that Dawson declined the offer.

Dawson, 74, is chairman of the House Government Operations Committee and is a Democratic political leader in Chicago's Negro district.

THE SURPRISE announcement came without warning. Kennedy, who has been receiving a stream of callers at his Georgetown home, suddenly came out on the doorstep and read the statement to newsmen.

Kennedy told reporters he would have two announcements later today. He said one definitely would be a cabinet post, but he was not definite as to the nature of the second announcement except that it would involve a high government position.

ROBERT F. KENNEDY, the president-elect's brother, met with him for 70 minutes earlier today but remained undecided whether to serve as attorney general in the incoming administration. Robert told newsmen he anticipated no decision today.

Discussing the postmaster general job, the president-elect said that after his offer to Dawson, the congressman gave the matter "some reflection" and decided to remain in the House.

Kennedy said Dawson felt he could best serve his country, his party, and the state of Illinois by remaining in the House.

Board to Name Two Advisory Groups Tonight

The Palm Springs Unified School District board will name a citizens' advisory committee to draw up specifications for district vehicles, including buses, and another to study proposals for a school program for severely mentally retarded children, during the regular board meeting tonight.

Other agenda items include further consideration of the student body sponsored announcement board for Palm Springs High School and consideration of study courses for junior high school metal shop and library training.



NEWLY-ELECTED president of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce, Joel Stone, left, receives congratulatory handshake from retiring president William Smith, who automatically assumes the post of treasurer. At right is Ed McCoubrey, second vice president. Not pictured is Francis Crocker, who was named first vice president at the organizational meeting of the new board this morning.

Council Asks Daylight Time For Entire Year

Citing a great need for more sunshine in the resort area of the Coachella Valley, Palm Springs City Council last night adopted a resolution to be sent to Sacramento asking for daylight savings time the entire year in California.

But the move was almost anticlimactic. RED KENYON, local resident, told the council that he had made a thorough study of the matter and has learned that Palm Springs could get two extra hours of daylight — and "it will be a very simple matter to do so."

He suggested that the Desert area petition the government to move the time-line boundary which now stops at the Colorado River, west to the Mt. San Jacinto-San Bernardino Mountain chain, thereby setting the clocks back one hour. Then when daylight savings time is in effect, the desert area will have two hours more of daylight.

COUNCILMAN KENNETH Kirk, who has spearheaded the drive to get year-round daylight saving time in California, after hearing Kenyon's proposal, said: "I think this is a wonderful idea, and I would like to suggest that he start immediately gathering facts to bring it about."

TV HEARING SET AFTER PROTESTS

A large group of people, headed by Palm Springs residents Harry Taylor and I. S. Eisen, last night protested the reception from both the Palm Springs TV System and the Translator Station, Inc., and requested an investigation into service and costs of the Palm Springs Cable TV.

Before Eisen had gone into the faults of the Translator Stations, Mayor Frank Bogert reprimanded him for presenting any testimony concerning Translator to the council, saying that "any protests you have against the Translator System, take to the Federal Communications Commission — this council has no authority over the privately owned, non-profit organization."

PALM SPRINGS does grant a franchise allowing the Palm Springs cable firm to operate in Palm Springs, and approves rates. Because of the large turnout to "protest" the cable system operation, the Mayor asked that a public hearing be set at which time all facts can be brought out to determine if rates are too high or service is not up to the standard which is promised in the franchise.

EISEN, IN MAKING the protest against the cable company, told the council that he knows of "several people who have smashed their sets because of the poor reception," and warned the council that Palm Springs residents were turning into "nervous people."

Harry Taylor, who opened the cable system discussion, told the council that after the years of operation "I don't know why we have to continue to pay \$7 per set for every set in our hotels."

HE VOICED THE difference between private homes and hotel connections, stating that homes were able to get a second set connected for \$3, where hotels must pay \$7 for each set.

Charges lodged against the Translator Stations were answered by Frank Bennett, president of the corporation, who said that they were doing all they could to bring good television reception to Palm Springs, but added that contributions were hard to obtain to keep the stations operating.

Translator is presently undertaking a campaign for donations to get funds to operate the three local translator stations.

FRANK ALLEN, manager of Palm Springs Cable System, today said that the City Council has all the records at their disposal concerning the operation of the cable system, and that the company "will be happy to answer any requests into a study of the service."

"I hope we can do something to expedite the hearing," said Allen, "because we have been planning to request a rate increase and we want to do it now."

Red Plane Brings Arms to Congo

LEOPOLDVILLE, The Congo — A Soviet-built transport plane was reported today to have landed in the leftist stronghold of Stanleyville with arms for soldiers loyal to imprisoned ex-Premier Patrice Lumumba.

Death Toll High, Report

Fighting broke out today in Ethiopia between troops loyal to deposed Emperor Haile Selassie and those backing the revolutionary leaders who seized power Wednesday.

Ethiopian reports reaching Khartoum said there were heavy casualties and a "high death toll" in Addis Ababa. But the State Department in Washington reported all Americans safe for the time being.

THE ETHIOPIAN Embassy in Rome said Selassie flew today to Asmara, Eritrea, from Brazil, for a showdown with his new government headed by his son, Crown Prince Asfa Wossen, 44, now proclaimed "king."

The Addis Ababa radio reported earlier the revolutionary forces had closed airports in Ethiopia to prevent Selassie's return but a Paris Embassy report said Selassie, federated with Ethiopian forces, is 400 miles north of Addis Ababa.

A BRITISH government spokesman said fighting broke out in Addis Ababa today and other sources said it apparently centered around the royal palace between loyal army troops and the imperial guard backing strongman Ras Michael Imeru, 66, reported to be the new premier.

Reports reaching the French government said fighting also had flared at Harar, a city of 40,000, 225 miles east of Addis Ababa. The reports said the Ethiopian State Radio suddenly went off the air after asking listeners to stay tuned in.

Fragmentary diplomatic reports said a dusk to dawn curfew was in effect in Addis Ababa, that all public buildings and embassies were guarded by troops armed with machine guns and that "several" persons were killed in the fighting.

King Takes Full Power in Nepal

KATMANDU, Nepal — King Mahendra seized full powers in Nepal today and placed Prime Minister B. P. Koirala and his cabinet under arrest.

GIVE YOURSELF EARLY GIFT AT BLOOD BANK

"Make plans now to give yourself and your family an early Christmas present," was the appeal today of Robert Henwood, Desert Hospital administrator, as he announced that the Riverside-San Bernardino two-county Blood Bank will be at the hospital from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday.

Blood donated by individuals or groups may be placed in a private blood bank, for use when emergency arises, Henwood explained.

Regular quota for the monthly visit is 25 pints.

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A CHEF'S SPAGHETTI left several hundred happy people at the benefit dinner for the Auxiliary Board of the Palm Springs Foundation for Mentally Retarded Children held in the Elks Lodge Friday evening. The evening dinner fete netted \$1,400 for special summer camp for the youngsters. Chef "Tiny" Olivastro of Tamarisk Country Club gave these enthusiastic diners the full flourish with the special spaghetti as Jack Baron and Mor-

PD Maintenance Plan in Hearing

January 9 at 10 a.m. was set by the Board of Supervisors this week as time for a hearing on proposed formation of County Main-



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CATHEDRAL CITY — A new class in round and ballroom dancing will be started by the Bachelors N' Bachelorettes Friday evening at the Town Hall here, with Rhio Pheigh and Charles Gladish as instructors.

The classes will continue every Friday night except the first Friday of each month.

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International Resistance	29	30 1/2
Lockheed	27 1/2	28 1/2
M G M	43 1/2	44
Perkin-Elmer Corporation	48	50 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	17 1/2	18 1/2
Thiokol Chemical	39 1/2	39 3/4
Transitron	37 1/2	38
Westinghouse	51 1/2	52 1/2

Lighting Asked For DHS Street

A petition for installation of a light at the intersection of First Street and Ocotillo Avenue in Desert Hot Springs was referred by the Board of Supervisors this week to the road department.

There were 25 signatures on the petition.

U. S. WEATHER

United Press International	High	Low	Rain
Albuquerque	41	25	
Atlanta	65	35	.00
Bismarck	48	17	
Boise	36	21	
Boston	29	19	
Brownsville	48	43	.08
Chicago	41	30	
Denver	46	23	
Detroit	33	28	
Fairbanks	33	8	
Fort Worth	45	37	
Helena	42	2	.01
Kansas City	41	34	
Los Angeles	67	39	
Miami	89	63	
Minneapolis	47	35	
New Orleans	45	41	.06
New York	28	23	
Oakland	56	34	
Oklahoma City	41	30	.08
Phoenix	63	33	
Salt Lake City	37	20	
San Francisco	55	51	.06
Spokane	38	19	
Washington	31	21	

TAX-TIPS BY BUTTCANE

Deductable Charities Listed

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The Desert Sun as a public service will present a series of articles on taxes once weekly between now and the tax deadline of April 15. The articles are scheduled to appear each Thursday, and will be written by R. R. Buttane, local Certified Public Accountant.)

By R. R. BUTTCANE, C.P.A.
Last week's article touched briefly on charitable contributions. This week we will go farther into the subject.

Charitable contributions paid by individual taxpayers are deductible up to 20 per cent of adjusted gross income. (Total income less certain allowable expense for the production of income.)

AN ADDITIONAL 10 per cent deduction is allowed for contributions to certain institutions, specifically a church, school, hospital

or medical research organization. Corporations are limited to a deduction of 5 per cent of their net taxable income. However, any excess corporate contribution may be carried forward to the two succeeding taxable years.

There are many ways to save income taxes by the proper handling of charitable contributions. Let's assume the following facts: Mr. A has adjusted gross income of \$20,000, and is planning a \$5,000 donation to his church building

fund. He also has stock which has a present market value of \$5,000, but originally cost him only \$1,000. If he sells the stock and donates the \$5,000, he will have accomplished his purpose. But, he will have a \$4,000 taxable gain on the profit from sale of the stock. He would do better taxwise to donate the stock to the church, and let them sell it. Mr. A then has his \$5,000 deduction (which only cost him \$1,000) and no tax to pay on the profit from sale of the stock.

The foregoing procedure may be used with almost any asset. Where present market value is not readily determinable Mr. A's deduction would be the amount realized by the church from the sale of the asset. Care should always be taken to verify that the recipient of a contribution has been certified by the Internal Revenue Service as a Charitable Institution.

A taxpayer who plans on listing deductions will save tax dollars by paying as much deductible expense as possible by Dec. 31. Even from borrowed funds provided the interest rate is not too high.

More Eucalyptus Slated for DHS

DESERT HOT SPRINGS — An additional 314 eucalyptus trees have been ordered for the park area in this community by the Desert Hot Springs Park and Recreation Board, president Herbert A. Eccelstone announced.

Eccelstone reported that the new trees will completely surround the park, providing both windbreak and visual interest.

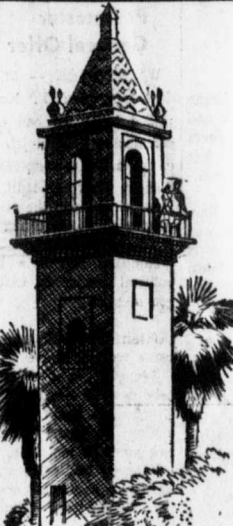
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County Okehs Contracts for Date Festival

Fullenwider Gets Supervisor Vote Backing Approval

Several contracts, already approved by Fair Manager Bob Fullenwider and the county fair board, were approved by the Board of Supervisors this week with participants-to-be in the annual Riverside County Fair and National Date Festival to be held in Indio in February.

Ed Lyman of Phoenix will be soloist in the Arabian Nights Pageant, a highlight in the annual festival. Music arrangements for the pageant will be drafted by Vina Harmer Marsh of Santa Ana. The pageant will be directed by Leon Partin of West Covina.

THE NOW FAMOUS horse show will be managed by Frank Jordano, Jr. of Santa Barbara. Harry Forbes of Altadena will be A.H.S.A. steward and ringmaster for the horse show. Judges will be Christopher Wadsworth of Holcomb, Penn., James Black of Oakland, and Welch Greenwell of Shelbina, Mo.

Gene Holter of Corona will furnish and handle the camels and ostriches which are a source of entertainment at the fair. There are to be no less than three Dromedary camels and four ostriches. William Nobles and Doris Nobles of Costa Mesa will serve as livestock supervisor and clerk.

ONCE AGAIN Ora Jared of Indio will supervise the queen and her princesses; Grace Orson of Thermal will supervise 4-H girls; Ethel Wagner of Indio will supervise the baked goods and confections division and Alberta Bisbee of Beaumont the canned and preserved foods division of the home economics department.

Fletcher Webster of Tarzana has a contract to distribute fair literature (65,000 leaflets and 2,800 counter cards) at motels and business places in the western states. The Wind and Sun Council of Camera Clubs is to sponsor and supervise a photographic salon. R. L. Logsdon, Jr., of San Bernardino, is president of the organization.

In the offing but not yet approved by the Board of Supervisors are contracts with Maelyn Nance as art supervisor, Frances Sherrod to supervise clothing and handicraft, and the Coachella Valley Woman's Club to be in charge of floriculture.

Single Building Permit for RM

RANCHO MIRAGE — One building permit was recorded for this area last week at the county building department office at Palm Desert.

It went to C. H. Miller, 72-288 Barbara Drive, aluminum siding, \$1,600.

ALMANAC

Today is Thursday, Dec. 15, the 350th day of the year with 16 more in 1960.

The moon is approaching its new phase.

The morning star is Mars. The evening stars are Mars, Jupiter, Saturn and Venus.

On this day in history: In 1791, the Bill of Rights went into effect.

In 1792, the first life insurance policy of its kind in America was issued by the Insurance Company of North America in Philadelphia.

In 1890, Chief Sitting Bull of the Sioux Indians was shot and killed after a skirmish with federal troops.

In 1944, U.S. forces led by General Douglas MacArthur landed at Mindoro in the Philippine Islands.

In 1948, a federal grand jury in New York City indicted Alger Hiss, former State Department official, on two perjury counts.

Thought for today: English poet William Wordsworth said: "Strongest minds are often those of whom the noisy world hears least."

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JUDGE EUGENE THERIAU SWEARS in four new members of the Mounted Police during the annual installation dinner at El Mirador Hotel Friday night. Being sworn into the ranks of the Mounted Police are, left to right, Gary Sanders, Robert

Cordes, Jr., Dale Johnson and Larry Paul. Sanders, Cordes, and Paul are the sons of three men who gave many hours to the Mounted Police in this community. (Desert Sun Photo)



NEWLY-ELECTED CAPTAIN of the Palm Springs Mounted Police, Clare Ballagh, center, talks with outgoing Captain Warren Coble, right, and Police Chief August G. Kettmann, left, during the Mounted Police dinner at El Mirador Hotel last weekend. The Mounted Police will hold their annual rodeo late in January. (Desert Sun Photo)

SCIENCE SERIES

DNA Poses Host of Questions

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the fourth of a series of dispatches on science's efforts to expose the secrets of life.)

By DELOS SMITH
UPI Science Editor

The wonder of DNA has brought with it a series of ponderous questions together with some answers. But most of the questions are now — and seem likely to remain for a time — unanswered.

The number of unanswered questions in these intricate chemical processes is all but uncountable. The fact is that what science now knows is very little — if you consider how much there is to be known. But if you remember how little science knew about them only 20 years ago, what science now knows is enormous.

AS AN EXAMPLE of the tough questions, take the one of cellular differentiation. The original fertilized germ cell divides into cells precisely like itself, but eventually in the course of successive divisions, there appear many types of cells. Each type divides only

into "daughters" like itself.

Yet each type will have, the number of chromosomes characteristic of the original fertilized germ cell. Clearly the chromosomes and their DNA molecules in these specialized cell types now behave differently from those in the original germ cells. Somewhere along the line of cellular division, the original DNA molecules produced many specialized DNA molecules. But how?

NO ONE KNOWS YET. But you can be sure scientists are going to find the answer to this and to all the other questions. Only since the 1940s have scientists had this workable concept of the life processes. It dates from X-ray diffraction studies which revealed the tightly spiraled structure of

the DNA molecule.

Einstein's relativity and other theories years ago promised to unlock the energy within the atom. Atomic theory still is far from total verification; yet it has yielded both the atomic bomb and atomic power. As scientists get deeper and deeper into the "giant" molecules of DNA and proteins, the interim results may be quite as epoch-making.

JACQUELINE

All over Palm Springs people are asking, "Who is this, Jacqueline?" Well Jacqueline sez, "I sell fabrics like you have never seen before. The world's finest and brocades are on display at my store at 20% off regular price. I'm sincerely proud of my light and heavy weight woollens in plain and novelty colors at prices you can afford to pay. 20% off regular price these next four days. I'm not kidding you, I'm just telling you that I made a special purchase of woolen dress and skirt lengths; values to \$6.98 per yd. Now only \$2.79 per yd. All wool jersey skirt and dress lengths, values to \$4.98, now only \$1.79 per yd. Hundreds to choose from. Beautiful arnel fabrics; ideal for sportswear and suits; cupioni cottons and Italian imports, now only 98c per yd. Lastex fabrics. Ideal for fitted capris, shorts and swim suits; 2 yards \$4.95. Brand new Holiday Patterns are in my store now. Vogue, McCall's and Simplicity Fashion R free 2 U. S&H Green Stamps. No Sunday Selling

Who is this Jacqueline at 401 S. Indian

DEMOCRATS TO ELECT '61 OFFICERS

Election of officers will be held by the Palm Springs Area Democratic Club at a meeting at 7:45 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 21, at the Rosmore Hotel, 1450 North Indian Avenue.

Dues of members are payable prior to that time, according to Stanley Spiegelman, president. Dues may be sent to Bob Mindell, care of Rosmore Hotel, Palm Springs.

Golden Double

CAMDEN, N. J. (UPI) — Sherill Ward is the only trainer to score the "goen double" at Garden State Park. He won the 1954 running of the Garden State, the world's richest race, with Summer Tan, and the 1957 Gardenia for fillies with Idun.

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Contractor Fete Set for Riviera

The awards banquet for the Southern California Chapter of the Associated General Contractors is scheduled to be held at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, in the main dining room of the Palm Springs Riviera Hotel. It was announced today by Ted Ratcliff, general manager of the hotel.

A total in excess of 700 persons is expected to attend the event, Ratcliff said.

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AVCC Is Deserving of Support

Americans are the most generous people on earth. They give millions upon millions of dollars annually to help the less fortunate, conduct youth activities and carry on medical research. The countless number of appeals seem to increase every year. Except for the agencies that join in a Community Chest or United Fund, and must submit budgets for approval of local committees, donors seldom know how their money is spent or see the results. They depend largely on the reputation of the organization, such as the well-established national health and medical research associations.

In addition to the work of local health, welfare and youth agencies whose benefits can be seen at first hand, there is another institution where residents of this area can see with their own eyes a miracle of healing that is being carried on through voluntary contributions.

Angel View Crippled Children's Hospital at nearby Desert Hot Springs conducts a free clinic for physically handicapped tots to teens. A visit to this young but growing institution a few miles across the valley can be a moving experience for any desert resident. There is almost nothing more pathetic than a crippled child, particularly when one realizes that treatment must begin promptly after an attack of polio or spastic paralysis to restore the little arm or leg muscle.

Seeing the expression of determination and hope in the eyes of crippled children in the pool at Angel View is an experience one will never forget. It is a privilege that donors seldom get—seeing the benefits of their generosity expressed on the faces of crippled children who can live in hope that some day they will play like others they can see all about them.

It was only a few years ago that residents of Desert Hot Springs realized how the unique combination of warm, dry air and natural hot water could be used in the mending of little bodies. Depending on voluntary contributions largely from Riverside County residents, progress at Angel View Hospital has been steady but slow. A group of women organized the Angel View Crippled Children's Hospital Auxiliary a few years ago and have been a great help to the institution. They have also shown the way to other groups in the county who recognize how much the hospital is doing for crippled children of this area.

The Auxiliary, and other groups in Riverside County, have helped a great deal through projects that have financed the purchase of the newest equipment for therapeutic and medical treatment.

With present facilities, the clinic can care for out-patients only. A few out-of-town children have been taken into homes of Desert Hot Springs residents while undergoing treatment. The great need is for an in-patient hospital, and a campaign has been under way for some time to finance a 30-bed building. An endowment fund will also have to be provided for its operation. Benefit of the treatments has been dramatically demonstrated. The non-profit, non-sectarian Angel View Crippled Children's Foundation is deserving of support that will provide for needed facilities and assure its future operation.

Hear! Hear! Truckers on Turnpike

NEW YORK — With so much traffic on the highways over the holidays, and so much praise going the rounds about our wonderful roads, I keep thinking of a recent letter from my friend and in-law Perry Wilson who lives — as Perry Coma once did — in Canonsburg, Pa. Here are excerpts:

"IN OUR STATE, as in others, we have a much talked-about turnpike, one of the first if not the first. It crosses Pennsylvania from Philadelphia to the Ohio line. It's a wonderful road-building achievement . . . no crossroads, 65 mph for passenger cars, 50 mph for trucks and buses, through most of the way.

"The rub is this (and I have a feeling it applies to other states): A passenger car traveling at the legal limit is too frequently overtaken and passed by trucks and buses, which means that they are traveling 15 mph faster than they should.

"ONE SELDOM sees them flagged down by the police. How come? The rest of us get stopped regularly enough, and that's a good thing if we're breaking the law. But what about these special characters? I enclose a clipping from the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette — Sun Telegraph stating that an interstate commerce commission crew is making its first truck investigation of our turnpike, though it has been open for years."

(The article revealed that a spot check showed dozens of trucks in hazardous condition and exposed a situation whereby the ICC has no authority to rule a sleep-drunk truck driver off a highway.)

Mr. Wilson continues:

"NOT LONG AGO a classmate of our daughter Mibby was killed in a crash involving a flat-bed trailer truck, loaded with steel plates, a car and this boy on a motorcycle. I don't approve of boys that age — 17 — having motorcycles, but the hard fact remains that he and a man of 67 lost their lives in the crash and another man was seriously injured.

"It's time somebody said that the roads and turnpikes of our nation are not built for the exclusive use of heavy haulers, contrary to what so many of them seem to think. Lord knows the drivers of passenger cars number among themselves their share of foolhardy drivers, but

let's think and do something about the occasionally reckless fellow behind the wheel of a vehicle that weighs ten times as much, and more, as the family car — and tries to whip it around like a compact. Figure the force involved when a mass up to 65,000 pounds, traveling up to 70 mph, collides with any object."

Hear, hear!

TAKES ALL KINDS of people to be a missionary, and a Maryknoller named Dan McLellan, who works in the hill country of Peru, seems to be a lot of them rolled into one.

The Denver-born man was headed for a career as a professional fighter when the Still Little Voice called him to a generally rougher and surely more adventurous life — the life of spreading the Gospel.

WHEN HIS SUPERIORS assigned him to resurrect religion among the 800,000 Peruvian Indians in the Department of Puno he tried the usual methods and when they failed concluded "If people are too hungry in their stomachs they can't consider the hunger of the soul."

So he went to work on their stomachs. Low cost credit did not exist — period. Peruvian banks would not give loans to his huge flock. Usurers demanded 25 per cent interest per month on the total loan! Father Dan

started his own low-interest cooperative. But the natives were hesitant to bring their poor savings out from under their mattresses.

HE REACHED toward them through their children. He took a course in magic and soon had a delighted audience of children. That barrier broken down, the priest looked about for the quickest and surest way to impress the parents — and became an amateur matador. The footwork he learned in Denver boxing rings served him well in his crazy new sport.

It worked. United Nations economists, after a study of what the man had done to enable Peruvian Indians to build homes, businesses and stock farms, recently declared the old fighter's system "A movement that will uplift the whole economic well-being of the Peruvian population."

How about that? It would make a wonderful movie or TV show . . .

DEMOCRAT I know is still celebrating Sen. Kennedy's victory.

"Just think," he keeps saying with wonder in his voice, "Imagining having two great things happen to Jack in the same day — being elected president and locating his missing father."

—Bob Considine

Letters to the Editor

Editor
The Desert Sun

The letter, issue of Saturday, Dec. 10, by Etta Lively re seeing a dog struck on the highway strikes a particularly poignant chord in our emotions. Miss Lively says "there are those who'd say 'Only a dog.'" Indeed there are and for whatever humanizing effect it may have on such people, I hope they read that letter and that you will print this.

When our beloved cocker, companion of six years to an old childless couple, friend and playmate of all the children who knew him, was struck and killed recently, we were so distracted with grief that, with tears streaming down my face I went over and asked a neighbor if he'd come over and visit with us a bit for someone to talk to.

The house echoed with loneliness and my husband was pacing the floor in misery.

This neighbor looked at me as though I were some sort of imbecile to be so upset over, to use his words, "only a dog." Oh, he also added, "after all, you can always get another dog." And with that he closed the door!

There'll doubtless always be another sparrow, too, yet the Man of Compassion was not too immersed in His own self esteem to heed the fall of one of them! Yes, Duffy was "only a dog." This neighbor is "only a man." Both of them caused us tears; tears of a different kind. I'll leave it to your readers to decide which one was worth the tears.

Edith Cotner
45-738 Quailbrush
Palm Desert

Catching Up with the Greased Pig Again



This Side of The Sun

By Phat

No matter the number of names on my list, The first card I get Is from someone I missed.

The above is not mine. I was out of reading material the other morning and thumbed through some of Mrs. G's magazines. In Good Housekeeping I found the above from the typewriter of Maude Rubin.

It seemed sort of appropriate for this time of year.

BUT IT DROVE me into some research work. I found that all of this profitable Christmas Card business, all of this rush to mail greetings, the worry about who has been missed, started 117 years ago.

And a guy by name of Henry Cole of London is at the bottom of it.

He dreamed up the first Christmas greeting card in 1843.

HE THOUGHT it would be nice to send Christmas best wishes to his friends and originated the first Christmas card. It was a three-panel affair showing a family gathering in the center. The side panels depicted the old tradition of feeding and clothing the needy.

The wording, "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year" has never been surpassed.

THE IDEA caught on and just a century ago, 1860, several greeting card firms were operating in England.

In 1875 Louis Prang of Boston started the first Christmas card firm this side of the Atlantic.

And thus was started a tremendous business.

NOW, 117 YEARS after the first Christmas card was dispatched, the Greeting Card association estimates that nearly three billion cards, including 50,000 different designs, will be mailed this year.

And a look at the array on the mantle indicates that the wild, zany cards, rampant for a few years, have run their course.

Cards of more beauty, appropriate to the season, are the rule.

CHRISTMAS CARDS do more than convey the best wishes of your friends. They have a decorative purpose, too.

Mrs. G. arranges them in a warm display of the value of our many friends and the same has been noted in every home which has opened the door to me.

As well as being a heartening display of friendship, they are ornamental.

ANYWAY, as a result of diligent research work instead of reading about the Rams, the Chargers and Paret, you know all about Christmas cards.

And the reason for all this is that the newsboy missed me with my morning paper. He's jeopardizing that buck he usually gets when he delivers the Christmas morning paper.

STAN DELAPLANE:

Cards on the Table

The Christmas Cards are finally addressed. Addressed, stamped, for better or worse. It is a handsome card, a watercolor by Graham Clilverd: "The Changing of the Guard."

NO MATTER HOW many cards you order you always come out ten short. Have you noticed that?

The time you notice it most is Christmas Day. When the other people have got their cards in to you, Christmas cards are something like playing stud poker — there's always the hole card you can't see that may ruin you.

ANYWAY, IT IS now Christmas. Oh, jolly Yule! Oh, merry day! You open the last batch of cards.

"And here's one from the Scofflaws—SCOFFLAWS?" This is the time you drag out the list. Sure enough, the Scofflaws were forgotten.

WELL, NATURALLY we are out of the personal cards. So off to the open-all-day drug store to pick up a tailor-made. Addressed in a hurry, stamped and popped in the box.

WE HOPE the Scofflaws will not note the date stamp. If they do, we hope they will attribute the tardiness to laxness in the post office.

Or you can wait until you see the Scofflaw on the commute bus and remark:

"MUST BE SOMETHING wrong with the post office this year. Nearly all our Christmas cards came in late."

No, better not. Scofflaw would see right through your hollow laughter. Blast Scofflaw, anyway. Merry Christmas.

THERE IS ALSO the telephone gambit: "Just called up to wish you Merry Christmas, old man. We decided not to send

cards this year — just call up our very personal friends."

This might be dynamite. Because we remembered the Sniveleys. Suppose you are ALL on the commute bus. And Snively declares: "Nice Christmas cards you had this year. Where did you get that 'Changing of the Guard' number?"

We shudder to think of such things.

THERE IS ANOTHER odd thing about Christmas cards. The Christmas card people give you only one envelope per card. When we address cards, we spoil a dozen envelopes. Do you realize that NO other envelope in the world will fit the cards you brought? True. This card was engineered by a fiend. A mathematical genius but a fiend. He figured a way to torture you and he did it.

THERE ARE SOME people who put these cards in larger envelopes. But it is socially incorrect—worse than arriving on time for a cocktail party.

A Christmas card must fit the envelope like Brigitte Bardot fits a bikini. Or you are socially dead.

IN THIS MAD WAY, you will wind up with a dozen perfectly good cards. And no envelopes to fit them.

You will also wind up with a dozen forgotten people. And no way out but the drug store.

There is always one consolation: There are the people who have forgotten you. I run into them every Christmas down at the drug store. And, boy, are their faces red!

CHUCKLES

JOYCE KOPP COP NEW BRIGHTON, Minn. — Joyce Kopp, 21, has been accepted for membership on the New Brighton police force.

"THAT'S THE STORY OF MY LIFE" by box



Dear Abby...

...by Abigail VanBuren

DEAR ABBY: I hope you will print this in your column because I am so sick over the whole mess I don't know where to turn for help. I am the mother of a teen-aged daughter. We sent her to a boarding school because she couldn't adjust to our high school. Ever since she left town people have been saying that she's in a home for unwed mothers.

She has always been a fine girl. Why should people ruin her reputation by their terrible lies? Why? Why? Why?

HEART-BROKEN MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: We all know that a lie can travel half-way around the world before the truth can get its boots on. But take new comfort from the Old Testament: "The lip of truth shall be established forever; a lying tongue is but for a moment." (Proverbs 12:19)

DEAR ABBY: When my husband said his employees wanted a Christmas party with no wives or husbands, I started to make a few plans of my own.

The next night when my husband came home, I had my kitchen counters piled high with holiday food and drinks. I explained that on the night of his employees' party, I would send our children to my mother's and have a cocktail party for the people I do business with every day. The grocer, the butcher, the milkman, the mailman, the gas station attendant, the insurance salesman, the bank teller and the car salesman who sold us our car, etc.

The next evening he told me that he had changed his mind and decided to skip the party and give each employee a turkey instead. Needless to say, I skipped my party, too.

There are enough people in this world breaking the laws of God and man without employers setting the stage to encourage such goings-on.

"NOT SO DUMB"

DEAR ABBY: Five months ago I married my employer and acquired a 13-year-old daughter who has been spoiled rotten by her grandmother (his mother).



and who, to this day, refers to the child as "poor little motherless darling."

She told the child, in my presence, "Now your Daddy's love will be cut in half — half for you and half for stepmother." I swear to you I heard my heart crack inside of me. I said nothing.

The child resents me (of course) and rebels when I attempt to discipline her. I don't want to complain to my husband, but I can't fight this alone. Should I just give up and walk out? I love this man, but I can't take it any more.

BROKEN-HEARTED

DEAR BROKEN-HEARTED: Lay your cards on the table. Every one of them—face up. Tell your husband exactly what you are battling and enlist his support. Let him decide whether he wants you — or his mother—to raise his child. (No joint efforts!) A man worth loving is worth fighting for. Stick with it and good luck.

CONFIDENTIAL TO "COR-KY:" When a woman gets a man on the spot, she usually takes him to the cleaners. Watch it!

Who pays for what? For Abby's pamphlet, "How To Have A Lovely Wedding," send 50c to ABBY, Box 3365, Beverly Hills, Calif.

For a personal reply, write to ABBY, Box 3365, Beverly Hills, Calif., and include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. Abby answers ALL mail.

Chuckles

BEAUTIFUL DOGS

CHICAGO, Ill. — Miss Eunice D. Halesky has asked the zoning board of appeals to let her continue running a barbershop for French poodles in her home. Miss Halesky said her canine tonsorial efforts would "bring happiness and joy to the neighborhood by making all the dogs look beautiful."

SETTLE FOR WHISKY

ST. LOUIS, Mo. — When safecrackers failed in an attempt to crack two safes at a sheet metal company they decided to have a drink instead. They stole \$135 in Christmas whisky from a nearby locker.

JAIL TOO CLOSE

BIG RAPIDS, Mich. — Three ministers want the new county jail built somewhere else. The present jail is located on the same square as their churches, the ministers said, and the prisoners keep yelling derogatory remarks at parishioners attending services.

ELUSIVE CULPRIT

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — "Yankee" was painted in big letters with red paint on the dome of the Florida state capitol building. No one spotted the culprit at work despite the fact that the dome was bathed in flood lights.

Remember When...

DECEMBER 15, 1950

Aimed at providing the eastern section of Riverside County with adequate representation at the county seat, an all-out campaign for creation of two supervisorial districts out of the present fourth district, has been launched by the Good Government League of this area. The plan, if successful, would provide two out of five county solons.

The Police Department Library began to take shape this week with the installation of 24 reference books for use by the force. Money for the books came from proceeds of the annual police show. Other monies from the event have gone toward health and accident insurance for association members, and \$500 has been spent on construction of the police range at the airport.

DECEMBER 15, 1940

Palm Springs Polo Club has obtained a building permit for \$50 to move a building to the Field Club.

Tops for the week at O'Donnell Golf Club—Eddie Sutherland 69, Frank Burns, Seattle, 77, Carl Haymond, Tacoma, 64, George Howard, 63, J. W. McAlister, San Francisco, 78.

At Safeway—Edwards Coffee, 20 cents a pound.—Adv.

DECEMBER 15, 1930

Never before has Palm Springs received such widespread publicity as at the present time. Three beautiful and distinctive booklets have just been issued by three leading transcontinental railroads, and these are being circulated throughout America. The booklets have been issued by Santa Fe, Southern Pacific and Rock Island Lines. The railroads recognize Palm Springs as America's foremost Desert winter resort, as is evidenced by the amount of publicity they are giving this place.

WOMEN of The Desert

Hildy Crawford, Society Editor
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Newlyweds Honored at Reception

A wedding reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clinton Noble, was held Sunday at the Van Nuys home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Farr. Mrs. Noble, the former Wendy Farr, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Farr of Rancho Mirage and Los Angeles. He is president of All Western Enterprises. Elopement to Las Vegas, they were married November 21.

A candelabra centered the table, complemented by an arrangement of pink carnations, white stock and white chrysanthemums. A three-tiered silver and white wedding cake was served with punch to the 150 relatives and friends who were in attendance.

The Nobles are living in Rancho Mirage, with plans to make their permanent home in Los Angeles. He is employed as a welder at the Coachella Valley Concrete.

Chi Theta Hears Talk on 'Art of Dress'

"The Art of Dress" was the theme of the program, presented by Margaret Davidson and Jean Patane at the meeting of Chi Theta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi held at the home of Mrs. Harry Estel.

Miss Davidson opened the program with the relationship of colors and the importance of the coordination of color with that of the individual. She presented color charts of the many combinations possible from basic red, yellow and blue.

Mrs. Patane emphasized the importance of good posture and the art of bringing out the good points of the figure, suggesting how imperfect proportions can be balanced by line.

Plans were made for the annual Christmas party to be held December 22 at the home of Mrs. Ed Donahue.

Others in attendance were Meses John Down, Carl Jackson, Ed Donahue, Pete Breaker, Ray Hayes, advisor to Chi Theta, and president, Mrs. Ralph Hammer. The hostess served refreshments following the closing ritual.

Christmas Is Motif for D.A.R. Party

Decorations were Christmas red and the hostess Mrs. Daniel McCauley, served a Christmas pudding, when Cahulla Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held its Christmas party. Mrs. Fred A. Nitchy, Regent, conducted a brief business session after which the holiday spirit reigned.

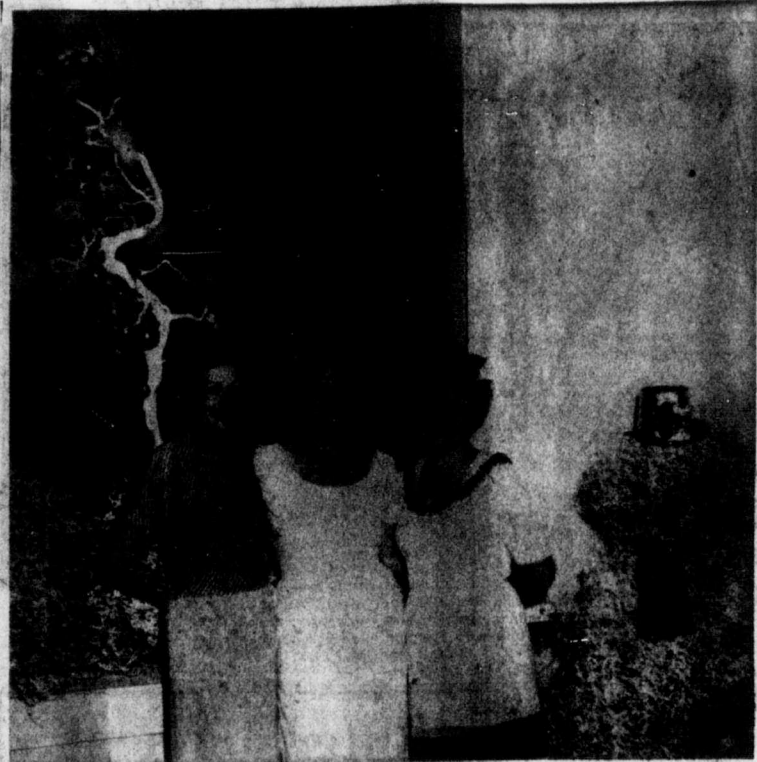
Mrs. Frederick Watson sang "Cantique de Noel," with Mrs. McCauley accompanying her at the piano. This was followed by caroling, in which everyone joined, closing with "Silent Night."

There were 25 members and guests present, and each was asked to relate a tale of a memorable Christmas Eve, when she was a little girl, before the merry exchange of gifts.

Guests were Mrs. Orin S. Welch, who is a D. A. R. member, and Meses George Griffin, James H. Carlisle and Theodore E. McCambell.

Festive Breakfast

NEW YORK (UPI) — Serve rolled pancakes for a festive breakfast. Bake pancakes from a mix, following the package directions. Butter the hot pancakes, spread with a tart jelly or jam and roll up. Sprinkle with confectioners' sugar and serve as the breakfast "entree."



A SNOWMAN of tumbleweeds and other attractive desert type decorations marked the White Christmas Breakfast, which Palm Springs Woman's Club held at the clubhouse on Monday morning. Here breakfast chairman Mrs. James Carlisle, center, is shown with her co-chairman Mrs. Chester Matson, on left, and Mrs. Foster Simonsen, on right, a committee member. (John Munn Photo)

Social and Club Calendar

(Clubs and organizations are invited to call in calendar dates to Fairview 5-5005).

December 15 Eastern Star, Christmas Party, 1006 E. Ramon Rd., 7:35 p.m.

December 16 QESa Social Club, Christmas Party, Biltmore, 12:30 p.m.

December 17 Nello Coffman P-T Guild, 7:45 p.m.

December 18 Deb Ball, Tennis Club, 4 p.m.

December 19 Palm Springs Camera Club, Security First National Bank, 8 p.m.

December 20 KofC Christmas Party, St. Theresa Auditorium, 6 p.m.

December 21 Los Compadres Christmas Party, Club House, 7 p.m.

December 22 Thunderbird Christmas Dinner, 7 p.m.

December 23 Circle O Squares, P.S. Playhouse, 8 p.m.

December 19 Woman's Club Christmas program, 2 p.m.

December 20 Barber Shop Quartet, every Monday, Coffman Jr. H. S., 8 p.m.

December 21 Kiwanis, Chi Chi, noon

December 22 Soroptimists, Biltmore, 12:15 p.m.

December 23 P.S. Community Church Young Married Couples Group, Christmas Party, Flame Restaurant, 7:30 p.m.

December 24 Optimists, Tennis Club, noon

December 25 Rotary, Chi Chi, noon

December 26 Rotary Arms, Chi Chi, 12:30 p.m.

December 27 Lions, Chi Chi, 12:10 p.m.

December 28 Tennis Club Children's Christmas Party, Venetian Room, 3 p.m.

Men's Club's Turkey Dinner on Monday Night

The Men's Club of St. Paul's in The Desert Episcopal Church will hold their annual Turkey Dinner in the social hall at the church on Monday evening, December 19.

The dinner, which is open to the public, is under the chairmanship of Wayland Reynolds with Collis Steers as ticket chairman. Tickets are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

The turkey dinner is being prepared under the supervision of Dave Watts, Bermuda Dunes chef, who does it each year.



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FERRALLS' PLAYHOUSE group and heads of civic organizations met at the Tennis Club Tuesday to discuss the new Subscription Series, which will permit Villagers and winter residents to subscribe to theatre as they do to a magazine. Pictured are some of the people who are prominent in the Playhouse activities.

From left, Joan Wilcox, general manager; producer-director Michael Ferrall; Mrs. David Itkin, who will arrange the gallery exhibits; and Phyllis Flax of the Playhouse company. (P. S. Newsphoto)

Start Subscription Series

As a preliminary to the January opening of Ferralls' Deep Well Playhouse, presidents and representatives of Palm Springs Service Clubs met with Michael and Mariann Ferrall at the Tennis Club Tuesday noon, as luncheon guests of Mrs. Austin McManus, who was unable to be present.

Production plans were announced, and the new Subscription Series explained by the Ferralls' new general manager Joan Wilcox. Ferrall, who has produced 156 shows here in the past 11 years, started the discussion by tracing the history of the Playhouse and his connection with it. He said he considered it auspicious that the Kick Off luncheon was being held in the Tennis Club with Mrs. McManus as hostess, in absentia, since it was on her land, where Saks Fifth Avenue stands today, that the Playhouse opened in a green and white striped tent.

Mariann Walters Ferrall announced plans to produce such plays as the Claudette Colbert-Charles Boyer "Marriage - Go - Round," which will open the 14 week season on January 16, "Golden Fleece," "Silent Night, Lonely Night," "Someone Waiting," and the "Girls in 509." Always interested in producing originals, the Ferralls said they may star Helmut Dantine in "Coals of Fire" if it can be arranged.

Mrs. Harry Clatworthy announced that First Nighter dinners will continue this year and will be held at the Tennis Club each opening night. The first will be held on the evening of January 16, she said.

Joan Wilcox, general manager for the Playhouse, introduced the Subscription Series, a mutually beneficial plan by which the Playhouse can be assured of support for the entire season, with local service clubs benefiting by 10 per cent.

The Subscription Series means season tickets, scaled to provide preferred seating and price, with the lowest priced seats only \$2.50, less than ever before. The tickets may be used any night of the week, allowing reasonable time for reservations, or may be reserved in advance for the entire season. Financially it means a saving of 20 per cent over single ticket sales, Mrs. Wilcox pointed out.

Other advantages include listing of subscribers' names in the programs, and better shows and bigger stars.

None of the books will be available after January 22, she warned, suggesting that all service club representatives contact their membership immediately as once the quota of books in any price range is sold, there will be no more available.

Prices are this way: Rows 1 and 2: single admission \$4.50 plus

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tax, which for 14 weeks would be \$63. The subscription book sells for \$35, or two for \$100. Rows 3 and 4: \$3.50 each, of \$45 a book, or two for \$80. Row 5, is \$2.50 each, or \$30 a book, or two for \$50.

Mrs. David Itkin, who is in charge of the art gallery display, announced that first exhibit will be well-known local artist O.E.L. Graves and his students. Other local artists, as well as artists from other places, will be shown during the winter, she said.

In attendance at the luncheon

were: Mrs. Natalie Myers of A.V. CCF, Mrs. Charles Sakin of AAUW, Mrs. Marjorie Baron of Opti-Mrs. Club, Mrs. Larry Coulton of Jay-Cee-Ettes, Mrs. Marty Cobin of Sisterhood of Temple Isaiah, Mrs. Fay Epstein of City of Hope, Mrs. Joan Michelson of Childrens Home Society, Mrs. Howard Jay of D.A.R., Mrs. Paul Leathers of St. Paul's, James Perrini of Kiwanis, Roy Randolph of Optimists, James Metz of B.P.O.E., Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. Itkin, John Buonomo, and Phyllis Flax.

Club in Need of Decorations for Christmas Tree

Cathedral City Woman's Club announced this week that they are in desperate need of decorations for the 30-foot Christmas tree to be placed at Grove St. and Highway 111 Saturday. All residents are urged to donate any of their excess trimmings. They may do this by calling Wayne Kizer at Fairview 9-2136 and leaving their name and address. The Boy Scouts will pick up all donations Saturday morning.

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A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION was this dinner party at Howard Manor, and honored Marjorie Schwartz. Pictured, from left, are Budd Stock, Miss Schwartz, Rosemary Orloff and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seyferlick of Chicago, where he is with the Sun Times. (Lill Anne Photo)

Prentiss deJesus Is Sigma Chi

The Beta Nu chapter of Sigma Chi fraternity at Brown University has announced the initiation of Prentiss S. deJesus son of Mr. and Mrs. Democrito S. deJesus of 3761 Camino San Miguel, Palm Springs. A graduate of Williston Academy, Easthampton, Mass., he is a member of the senior class and a candidate for the Bachelor of Arts degree.

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Hemet Author Talks of Bus Ride

"A Jaunt by Mexican Bus," unscheduled travel is described with enthusiasm, and the \$265 that it cost Mrs. Franck to wander the length and breadth of Mexico is accounted for in explicit detail. It's more than a description of a trip. It's also a belief by the author to "never grow old," and that eighty-plus is the very age when the difficulties of a totally new environment and the hazards of a long and arduous trip should matter least to a person. "A Jaunt by Mexican Bus" is a book for the young in heart, whether young or old in age.—DEK

At the Old Stand

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Margarita Sierra's role as a singer at the Fontainebleau Hotel in Miami in the "Surfside 6" TV series is a familiar one for her. She once filled a singing engagement at the swank hotel.

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WEEKEND AT DESERT AIR Hotel brought together actor Robert Cummings, center, and H. L. (Hank) Gogerty, left, talk with Norman Larson, head of the Beechcraft aircraft convention, held at the hotel. Cummings, a frequent visitor to the desert area, had his own planes. He has recently completed a pilot adventure film which was filmed at Desert Air Park. (Desert Sun Photo)

Sam Hinton Set For Informal Museum Recital

Sam Hinton, internationally acclaimed singer and teacher of folk music, will present an informal recital of folk songs for the Desert Museum at 8 p.m., Saturday.

Hinton, who was director of the Desert Museum in 1940-41, is now curator of the Museum and Aquarium at Scripps Institute of Oceanography at La Jolla. He goes on a folk song lecture and concert tour each year, and teaches each summer at the Idyllwild School of Music and the Arts. This will be his fifth appearance for the Museum.

The program for Friday evening consists of two films: "High Arctic" and Disney's "Bear Country."

A Nature Walk into Andreas Canyon is set this Saturday, leaving the Museum at 10 a.m.

Glen Vargas' Tuesday evening lecture series will go on "vacation" until Jan. 3.

Two Christmas Music Events Set for Schools

Two major school Christmas musical programs are scheduled here this week.

The 90-voice high school choir will present Handel's majestic "Messiah" at 8:15 Thursday in the High School auditorium under the direction of Alex Hammond.

The presentation will feature an orchestral accompaniment for the "Hallelujah Chorus" with Gustave Patner conducting.

At 8 p.m. Friday, the 110 voice Junior High School choir, including the Madrigals, a 30 piece orchestra and 50 piece band, will present a traditional Christmas program featuring classical and popular Christmas music. Directors are Hugh Givens, Richard Dahlgren and Edwin Bowman. The program will be in the Palm Springs High School auditorium, admission free.

Toughened Up
HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—Van Williams takes in stride his rugged screen fights as a detective on TV's "Surfside 6." He used to break brons on an Oklahoma ranch.

Ballet Russe TO PERFORM IN SOUTHLAND

LOS ANGELES—Holiday plans for many center around the one-and-only Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo which opens a nine performance engagement at the Philharmonic Auditorium, Tuesday evening, Dec. 27, under the auspices of the Community Civic Music Association.

Tickets are now on sale at the box office and at all Mutual Agencies. The company has also scheduled performances at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium on Wednesday, Jan. 4, and at Pasadena Civic Aud. on Jan. 5.

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PALM SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL'S 90-voice choir will sing "The Messiah" at the pre-holiday Christmas concert at the high school auditorium, tonight. Above, Alex Hammond leads the choir through its paces, practicing for the Handel oratorio. (Desert Sun Photo)

AFTER SUNSET

Frustration Comes Easy at the Golden Door

By GEORGE LAINE

Throughout last week and this week, a group of men — most of them highly successful and some of them millionaires — drop their activities and sojourn in Escondido where they participate in a program that might best be called an exercise in masochism.

For two weeks, these men allow a group of women to dictate their time of arising, their food, drink and recreation and also put them through a series of exercise routines the likes of which even the U.S. Marine Corps cannot match.

I KNOW WHEREOF I speak. I spent three days at the Golden Door in Escondido.

The first shock came when I pulled up at the Golden Door, yanked my suitcase from the car and went to my rooms.

"When's cocktail time," I asked George Shaw, who helps the Door tell its story nationwide.

"Right now," said George, and led me to the beautifully-appointed lounge. A tableful of canapes and a trayful of filled glasses beckoned. "Help yourself," said George and I did.

I ALMOST DIED. Pineapple juice!

"Great gag," I recall telling Shaw. "Now, where's the booze?"

"No booze," he said.

"No booze?"

"We're healthy here," he explained.

"Healthy you can be," I countered. "But dead?"

DINNER WAS NICE but skimpy.

I told Shaw I didn't want to be obnoxious but that I was there to do a story, that I weigh 158 pounds and obviously do not need weight control and would he please call off the "treatment" for me. Shaw said he would.

(That first evening was memorable for another reason. George and I went "over the wall," as they say in the prison pictures, and hid ourselves to the Circle R Ranch for a visit with ex-Villager Herb Rauch, who operates the place. The drinks are fine, the food delicious and the environment great — and it has a beautiful rolling golf course.)

I WISH I HAD known that Shaw was going to be unable to halt the shock treatment that the Golden Door had ready for me the next morning.

Dr. Anne Marie Bennstrom, who is one of this country's foremost physical culture and dietary experts, is a striking Scandinavian blonde. (She has an almost Bergman freshness about her but she rejected a proposed date anyway.)

At 7 a.m. or some such ridiculous hour, there was an awful racket from the Door's pool area.

There was the sound of the March from "Bridge On the River Kwai" — Dum dum, da da da dum dum dum, etc. — and a noise roughly comparable to a Marine drill instructor shouting cadence.

A GLANCE THROUGH the window confirmed the fears. There were the men — a total of about 20 of them, attired in sweat suits — following Dr. Bennstrom in a skipping encirclement of the pool.

George Alexander and Jimmy Doolittle and Charles Klein and Les Taufenbach and John Hancock and Dan Dunlap and Bob Wondries and a bunch of additional otherwise sane persons were the victims and in order to find out what had occasioned this madness, I joined them.

Two and a half hours later I discovered an error had been made. I was only supposed to have an hour of calisthenics. Instead (and I'm reasonably certain Shaw arranged this on purpose) the Golden Door's diabolical schedule-maker allotted me two one-hour segments in succession.

I WAS READY FOR lunch but it turned out to be a soufflé, a salad and one glass of iced tea.

About the afternoon, I will say it wasn't as strenuous as the forenoon. I had a game of water volleyball — in which George Alexander demonstrated some amazing athletic prowess — and some swimming and a rubdown and a trip to the steam room and a trip to the aromatic steam room and another session with the Golden Door's "cocktails" and more canapes.

I also paid a call on Mary Wanger and had my face packed in mud, my fingernails packed in lotion and my feet packed in water. (Before I knew what was happening to me, I had Bridal Pink toenails, high gloss fingernails and the most lovely complexion in Escondido.)

I NEVER DID get the names of all of the people who function — in one capacity or another — for the Golden Door but I did have an opportunity to hear Professor Edmund Bordeaux Szekely lecture on a number of subjects ranging from peaceful uses of the atomic bomb to correct uses of the calorie charts.

And there was Afia, Johanna, Joe Stramaglia, James and Molly and a host of beautiful maids abounding. (I was so tired each nightfall that I couldn't begin to think about dates or parties.)

Alexander — who went down to Escondido with the first contingent of the "Golden Horde," as the male group is denoted — said I should have been around to watch Jim Backus and Bob Cummings going through their paces for Dr. Bennstrom, to see Aldous Huxley and Sam Banowitz exercising, and



BIKE RIDERS Jimmy Doolittle, of the Greek Theater, and George Alexander, of the Alexander Construction Company, pedal senselessly on bike machines in Escondido's Golden Door. The beauty salon bars women four times annually, turns the premises over to men for relaxation and method study on reducing. (Desert Sun Photo)

THANKS, GEORGE, but no thanks. It doesn't help that Anne-Marie said I wasn't as fussy as the ladies or that I didn't have to pay the \$350 to \$425 per week that the women are routinely charged. I get all the exercise I need jumping to conclusions.

And I'll never live down my pink toenails.

GERALDINE RUSSELL, mother of actress - WAIF founder Jane Russell, has written a book titled "Oh Lord, What Next?" published by Vantage Press.

David Savoy, editor of Scribner's Emerson College literary quarterly, calls it "purely inspirational" for its content. Mrs. Russell early found herself the sole protector of four elderly women and six children — including Jane — and did the job on an average \$137 per month.

Mrs. Russell also takes on some explanations of Jane in a chapter entitled "Daughter." As an adolescent attic rummage, as a high schooler and the romance with grid great Bob Waterfield, as founder of the international adoption agency known as WAIF. Says Savoy: "We read of Jane Russell as she lives, and not as the publicity men would have us believe she lives."

Entertainment in the Sun

NOTES OFF THE CUFF: If you haven't seen the Sans Gene, you're missing one of the Valley's newest and best treats . . . The burned-out Idyllwild family which benefited from the call issued through The Desert Sun a couple of weeks ago figures that the Christmas spirit hit our town early . . . Mrs. Payne penned a grateful thank-you note, saying everything was warmly received and much appreciated . . . Did you see the new costumes on the Riviera's cocktail waitresses yet? Like, wow!!

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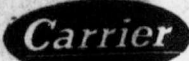
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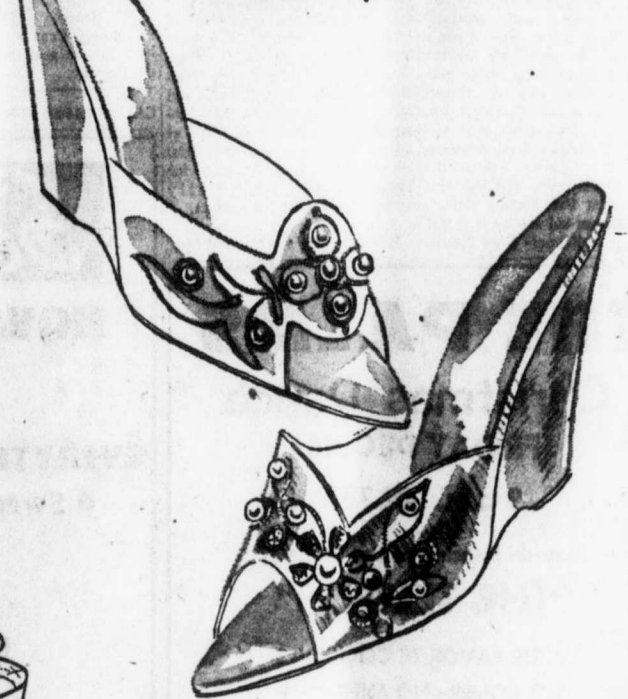
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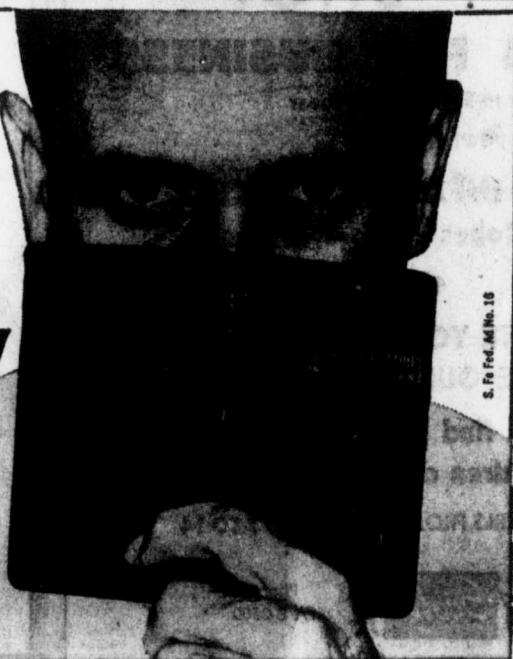
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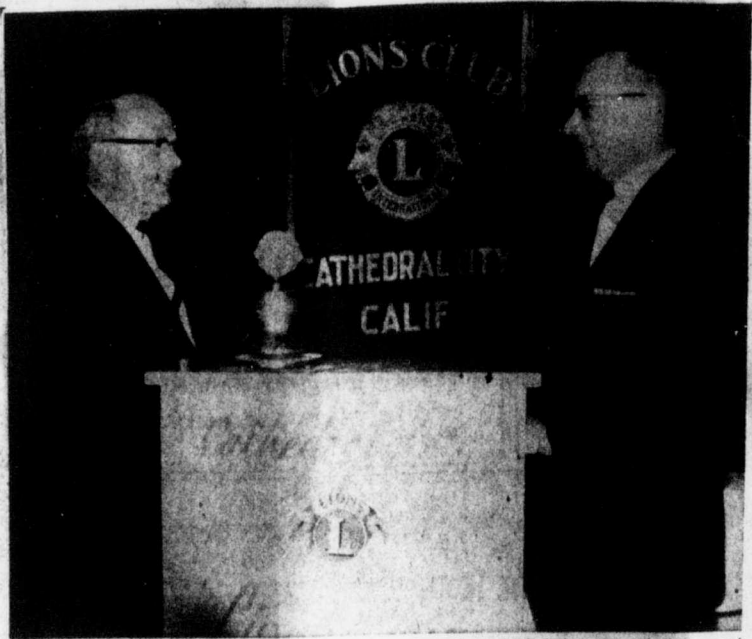
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HONORED GUEST at the Cathedral City Lions Club annual Ladies Night dinner at the Chi Chi was District Governor Walter Harned. While in this district, he also visited both Palm Springs and Desert Hot Springs. He is pictured above at left, discussing his official

County Gets Welfare Plan For PV Area

Andersen Urges Establishment of Branch Office

Administrative Officer Robert T. Andersen recommended to the Board of Supervisors this week that a branch county welfare department be authorized to determine all medical indigencies in the greater Palo Verde Valley area for patients to be treated in Blythe as well as those who might be sent to Riverside for treatment, but the supervisors were cautious and ordered a further study before reaching a decision.

At present all medical indigencies in the county are determined by the social service bureau at the general hospital in Arlington. **WELFARE DIRECTOR** John McIntyre urged caution in making a change in the present set-up. Fred Holbrook, hospital administrator, said a local determination by the welfare department as to medical indigents would not help the county hospital, but would help the local hospital under contract to the county. He said the indigency should be determined only on an emergency basis at the request of the local hospital.

IN OTHER WORDS if there is any question as to a patient's ability to pay for the three-day emergency period the hospital would request a report from the branch welfare office. "Beyond the 3-day period the patient should be moved to the general hospital at Arlington," said Holbrook. McIntyre agreed that a good starting point would be the establishment in Blythe of a branch office for emergency screening. If it works there, it could then be tried in Indio and other areas of the county. It could eventually embody billing and collections. "Blythe can be the guinea pig," said Supervisor Fred McCall. A further study is to be made by the administrative officer, hospital administrator, welfare director, and county counsel.

County Adopts PD Zone Switch

A change of zone requested by Alan Isen of Palm Springs on property east of the Palms to Pines Highway and south of Santa Gertrudis Drive at Palm Desert was adopted by the Board of Supervisors this week as recommended by the planning commission following a hearing at which no one appeared to express either approval or disapproval. The change is from the W-2 zone (watershed, conservation and recreation) to R-1 (single family residential). The area to be rezoned is described legally as the W½ of NE¼ of NE¼ of Section 31, Township 5 South, Range 6 East.

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IN A CEREMONY AT RAY RYAN'S El Mirador Hotel Mickey Finn, center, was welcomed back to the desert resort city after his dramatic Pony Express "Freedom Riders" gallop to Washington, D. C. Ryan greeted Finn with a handsome homecoming gift—a valuable hand-tooled saddle which the oilman had especially made for the occasion. Palm Springs Mayor Frank Bogert, left, served as master of ceremonies. Finn's 3,500-mile ride, along with that of six other ace horsemen, was designed to alert all America to the dangers of Communism. (Conrad Hug Photo)

Eight Building Permits Issued In Cathedral City

CATHEDRAL CITY—Eight building permits were issued in this area last week by the county building department office in Palm Desert, with a total valuation of \$31,872. Permits went to: James J. Smith, 36-968 Allen Street, enclose screen porch, \$300; Filmore Testa, 70-909 Fairway Drive, extend patio roof, \$1,500; Edmund Bastiani, 38-850 Paradise Way, dwelling, \$9,490; Ray Bowens, 67-920 Highway 111, trailer awning, \$310.

Stephen R. Wright, 38-671 Charlesworth Way, dwelling, \$7,550; Gordon Nicholson, 68-307 Club Road, dwelling, \$7,832; Charles Cook, 70-258 Calico Road, sprinkler system, \$1,990; Rhio H. Pheigh, 68-323 Treasure Trail, addition, \$2,940. Production per acre on western cropland has increased 31 percent since 1940. For the U. S. as a whole, the production is up 19 percent.

Scott's Open Children's Shop In Cathedral City

CATHEDRAL CITY—Mrs. Fern Scott, owner and manager of Scott's Desert Wear, today formally announced the opening of her new shop, located next door to her present location, which will be known as Scott's Children's Shop. Mrs. Scott has just received a complete new stock of children's wear from infants up to size 14 for both boys and girls. Scott's Desert Wear was opened for business 15 years ago and since has been enlarged and remodeled several times to meet the ever increasing business growth. The children's shop has been opened to meet the increased demand in the Cathedral City area for a store of this kind, according to Mrs. Scott.

PS Tax Expert Gains Bar Post

Ernest R. Mortenson, Pasadena and Palm Springs tax specialist attorney, has been elected president of the Federal Bar Association in the Los Angeles area. Mortenson, a Columbia University and Harvard Law School graduate, has been in private practice since 1932. He had previously worked with the Department of Justice.

Naturally!

AUSTIN, Tex. (UPI)—The author of a botanical treatise entitled "Trees, Shrubs and Woody Vines of the Southwest" is Robert A. Vines.

VILLAGE GI IS NOW ARMY 'MARKSMAN'

Pvt. Dennis L. Sonico, son of Mrs. Gladys Brilliante, 326 No. Calle Encilia, recently achieved recognition as a top Army marksman by qualifying for the expert marksmanship badge during range firing with the .30-caliber carbine at Fort Campbell, Ky. Sonico, a clerk in the 101st Airborne's Division's 101st Administration Company, entered the Army in July 1958 and was last stationed at Fort Carson, Colo. The 19-year-old soldier is a 1957 graduate of Belmont High School.

CATHEDRAL CITY

Griders Annual Yule Party Held

By JEAN PATANE

Last Thursday and Friday Mrs. Howard Grider was hostess for the annual Christmas party for a group of friends who have continued their friendship for more than 20 years. They went to grammar school together in Santa Ana and meet throughout the year at each others homes. Luncheon on Thursday was followed by cards and Laurie's Steak Ranch was chosen for dinner, with dessert at the Grider home.

Guests who returned to their homes on Friday were Mmes. Percy Fuller, Dick Faulkner, Helen Gosman, Roll Hill, Glen Cole, Bonnie Jewel and Ruth Roberts of Santa Ana, Mrs. Oscar Obst from San Bernardino, and Mrs. Merlin Somers of Crestline. Mr. and Mrs. Grider, who had been frequent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Lane, sold their home in Crestline and moved to Cathedral City the latter part of October.

Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Carnahan and children, Susan and Dale, spent the weekend in Glendale at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carnahan.

On Sunday Hugh Claudin accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wallichs and their weekend houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Wilson (Mr. Music Man) to Los Angeles where they attended the gala opening of the newly enlarged and redecorated "Music City" that now encompasses an entire block at Sunset and Vine. Claudin, now retired, is co-owner with Clyde Wallichs of Music City. He returned to the desert Monday with Charlie Barnett, who was one of the many personalities in the realm of music to attend the festivities.

Emma Jane Calhoun arrived by plane today from Washington to visit at the Desert Lodge home of Mrs. James Wolseth. They have been friends since their college days at the University of Washington. Monday Mrs. Wolseth and Mrs. Clara Tambling hosted luncheon and an afternoon of cards at Desert Lodge for 18 friends. Mrs. Willard Price won the prize for bridge and Mrs. Bessie Kelly scored the highest for canasta.

New residents are Mr. and Mrs.

Roy H. Mills, who have been winter residents for several years. They are now in the home they purchased on "I" Street. They moved down from Salem, Ore., the first of December and will make Cathedral City their permanent residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Watkins with their son, Charles, and her mother, Mrs. Tina McClish, drove to Redwood Friday to spend the weekend at the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Taber and children, David and Kathy. Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Watkins attended the annual Christmas party hosted by the Western Extremator Company at their offices in Los Angeles. Watkins is manager of the Palm Springs office. Mrs. McClish is spending the holidays with her granddaughter.

Saturday nine football fans drove to Pasadena to attend the Junior Rose Bowl game between Long Beach Junior College and Tyler, Texas, Junior College. Enjoying the game were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buresh, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Colglazier, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Bowman and George McCrystal, who were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fox of Palm Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dorn returned to their Cathedral City home after spending the summer in Oregon and Washington. The Dorns have made their home here for the past 25 years.

A. D. Bridges arrived from his home in Victoria, B. C., Canada, last week and will be joined by Mrs. Bridges at Christmas time. They plan on spending the winter at the Sun Glow Apartments. Mr. and Mrs. Stan Nye of Centralia, Wash., are spending the winter at the Sun Glow and Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hansen of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, who were here for the golf tournament, left on Tuesday.

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SIX COMMITTEES of the Palm Springs Ski Club are headed by these Village Ski devotees. Appointed by Ski Club President Mike Margucci, they are, from left, Steven Le Con, tennis; Madeline Sargent, bowling; Brent Wilder, membership; Linda Greaves, bullfights; Dr. John H. Scott, advertising; and Bob Hillstrand, boating. (Desert Sun Photo)

SPORTS in the Sun

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60 MINUTES OF BEST WILL PAY OFF

Packers Know Rams Can Mean Trouble

PALO ALTO (UPI)—"Sixty minutes of our best brand of football on Saturday will be worth a minimum of \$3,000 and possibly as much as \$6,000 or \$7,000."

Rams to Go Into Packers Game Badly Crippled

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—With the crucial Los Angeles Rams-Green Bay Packers National Football League game only two days away, the Rams reported today their list of injured players has grown to eight.

"As of the moment, I don't see how any of them has a chance to play," lamented Coach Bob Waterfield.

Four of the players already had been considered doubtful starters for the game which could give Green Bay the Western Division championship. They are quarterback Frank Ryan, end Del Shofner and defensive ends Gene Brito and Lou Michaels.

Added to the sick list were fullback Joe Marconi with a bruised thigh; defensive end John Baker, a pinched shoulder nerve; linebacker Jack Pardee, a sprained ankle; and defensive tackle John Kennerson, a hip injury.

BOWLING

Noel Gillette, bowling in the Wednesday Night Scratch league, knocked over 250 pins to top the week's activities at the Palm Springs bowl and came within three pins of the season's high of 253 held by Bob Blauvelt. Blauvelt had high series with 607 and is high for the season with 667.

Pat Martin, in the Industrial league, topped 233 for high game in that loop. The mark was also high for the season. Martin scored a 346 series. Series high to date is held by John Marinko with 570.

In the Pacemakers league, Marion Yates rolled a high of 207. Season's high in that loop is held by Marinko with 233. George Kuffner rolled the high series, 537. Marinko is also high for the season to date with a 622 series.

High for the 14th week in the Monday Night Service league was rolled by Bud Sales, 205. Marinko holds high in that league with a 245. Lou Folk rolled a 527 series with M. Pritchett high for the season with a 610 series.

Ties marked play in the His and Hers league with Harry Krings and Sam Micelli heading the men with 178 each and Valerie Toth and Marian Smith the women with 163.

PLAY FOR TITLE

GOLETA (UPI)—University of California at Santa Barbara and Westmont College play tonight for the championship of the third annual California Winter Basketball Classic. Chapman and College of Pacific battle for third place.

FAVORITE WINS

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Tonto Bars Hank won yesterday's feature Pacific Coast Quarter Horse Futurity raising his winnings to \$58,613. He paid one of the shortest prices of the meeting, \$2.60.

Aparicio Leads AL Shortstops By Wide Margin

BOSTON (UPI)—There's fresh evidence today of what Manager Al Lopez of the Chicago White Sox has been saying for the last two years: Luis Aparicio is baseball's modern "Mr. Shortstop."

American League fielding statistics released by league president Joe Cronin disclose that the slick-fielding Aparicio's .979 percentage in 1960 was by far the best in the circuit. It was the second straight season in which Aparicio led the shortstops and his average this year was nine points higher than his 1959 mark.

With Aparicio and catcher Sherman Lollar showing the way, the White Sox led in team fielding with a .9519 mark—shading the Baltimore Orioles for the honor by .002. It was the fourth straight season in which the White Sox were tops in the league in defense.

Lollar, another key man for the third-place White Sox, committed only three errors to lead the catchers with a .995 figure.

Rounding out the best-fielding infield in the league were first baseman Vic Power of the Cleveland Indians with .996, second baseman Pete Runnels of the Boston Red Sox with .996 and third baseman Brooks Robinson of the Orioles with .977.

The best-fielding trio of outfielders in the circuit were Charlie Maxwell of the Detroit Tigers with .996, Gene Woodling of the Orioles with .995 and Jim Piersall of the Indians with .992. Pedro Ramos of the Washington Senators had 60 total chances to top a list of 60 pitchers who did not commit a single error during the season.

The White Sox also led in double plays, with 175, the Orioles' 108 errors were low for the league and the Senators made the only triple play of the campaign.

Miss Armstrong, Turnesa Win in Sebring Tourney

SEBRING, Fla. (UPI)—Gloria Armstrong's eight-foot birdie put made Faye Crocker's swan song golf tournament seem a bit off key here Wednesday.

Miss Armstrong, teamed with Jim Turnesa of Rye, N. Y., dropped in the putt on the first extra hole of a sudden-death playoff in the \$15,000 mixed Scotch foursome championship and won it.

Runners-up were Bob Goaly of Crystal River, Fla., and Miss Crocker, who is leaving golf to return to Uruguay, in South America. They shot 139. This was Miss Crocker's final tournament.

English Soccer Players to Strike

MANCHESTER, England (UPI)—The threat of a total soccer strike, involving 82 clubs and 2,700 professional players, is growing stronger each day.

Players representing England's Northern Section overwhelmingly voted on Wednesday, 254-6, to go through with a walkout prior to the Jan. 14 games if their demands aren't met.

West Paces Lakers Over Hawks, 124-113

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—The Los Angeles Lakers' prize rookie Jerry West scored 24 points Wednesday night, second only to Elgin Baylor's 28, as the Lakers defeated St. Louis 124-113 for the first time this season in the National Basketball Association.

New AL Teams in Business

Bilko to Return to Wrigley

BOSTON (UPI)—The new Washington and Los Angeles clubs were officially in business today, and the St. Louis Cardinals acknowledged the fact by putting in a prompt bid for Bobby Shantz, the Senators' newly-acquired southpaw.

Art Routzong, assistant general manager of the Cardinals, made a special plane trip here to talk with Washington officials about a possible trade for Shantz.

"Shantz would give us the left-handed balance we need in our bullpen," Routzong said. "He'd go along fine with Lindy McDaniel (a right-hander)."

THE CARDINALS were only one of five major league clubs that contacted Washington General Manager Ed Doherty Wednesday shortly after he had participated in an unprecedented selection of players together with Los Angeles General Manager Fred Haney.

Between them, Doherty and Haney spent a total of \$4,325,000 for 61 players. Each of the two new clubs selected 28 players off a special American League roster at a cost of \$75,000 per player.

Los Angeles also drafted three minor leaguers, including Steve Bilko, who will be right at home in Wrigley Field where he played in the Pacific Coast League, hitting 55 homers in 1956 and 56 more in 1957. Washington drafted two minor league players, each costing \$25,000.

LIKE DOHERTY, who selected Gene Woodling of the Orioles, Willie Tasby of the Red Sox, Dale Long of the Yankees and Dick Donovan of the White Sox among others, Haney also revealed he had received trade feelers "from a number of clubs."

Haney said the Los Angeles club might take advantage of the extended inter-league trading deadline which was moved up 24 hours to Friday midnight.

"Whether we trade or not, however, we don't think we're too badly off with some of the ball players we got," Haney added.

"We have the nucleus of a respectable ball club in fellows like Ted Kluszewski (White Sox), Bob Cerv, Eli Grba and Duke Maas (Yankees), Ken Aspromonte (Indians), Eddie Yost (Tigers) and Tex Clevenger (Minnesota Twins)."

MANAGERS BILL RIGNEY of Los Angeles and Mickey Vernon of Washington, also present at the selection session, both said they were "happy" over the choices.

Rigney shrugged helplessly when asked if he could offer some kind of starting lineup. From the players on his roster now, however, he could make up the following team:

—1b, Kluszewski or Julio Becquer; 2b, Aspromonte; 3b, Yost; ss, Ken Hamlin; of, Cerv, Faye Throneberry and Jim McAnay; c, Ed Sadowski or Bob Wilson; p, Jerry Casale, Ned Garver, Clevenger, Maas and Grba.

Larson, Thomson 'History Makers'

NEW YORK (UPI)—Don Larsen and Bobby Thomson are among the "history makers of the century" who will be honored by the B'nai B'rith at sports lodge dinners in New York and Boston on Jan. 22 and Jan. 23. Larsen pitched a perfect game for the Brooklyn Dodgers in the 1956 World Series and Thomson hit a home run in the final playoff game to win the 1951 pennant for the New York Giants over the Dodgers.

Fullerton Features Chaffey Tournament

ALTA LOMA (UPI)—Defending champion Fullerton meets Citrus tonight in the feature battle in the second round of the 20th annual Chaffey Invitational junior college basketball tournament.

In other winner bracket games today San Bernardino meets Orange Coast, Phoenix plays Santa Ana and Chaffey battles San Diego.



CHUCK'S WELDING moved into third spot in the Desert Resort League Wednesday night when they defeated Coachella Valley Savings and Loan team, 4 to 2. They are the two local teams in the loop. Front row from left, Chuck's battery, Char-

ley Black, catcher, Kenny Price, pitcher, and CVSL battery, John Andreas, pitcher, Joe Lewis, catcher. Back row, D. D. Hines, manager CVSL, Roy Grow, recreation supervisor, and Jim Wild, manager, Chuck's. (Desert Sun Photo)

Chuck's Defeats CVSL, 4-2, Goes Into Third Place

Chuck's Welding baseball team entry in the Desert Resort league wound up the first half of play in third spot with a 3-2 mark after Kenny Price held Coachella Valley Savings and Loan team batters to three hits in a game Wednesday night at the Polo Grounds.

Chuck's Welding won the bout 4 to 2.

The loss dropped CVSL to fourth spot at 2-3. The two teams had been deadlocked at 2-2 at the start of the game.

Charley Black, catcher for the winners, hit two for four trips to the plate as did Cleo James.

Johnny Andreas hurled for the losers and was touched for only five hits.

Chuck's fielders erred three times, CVSL, twice.

CVSL will play the league-leading Sultans of Coachella at 1 p.m. at the Polo Grounds Sunday and Chuck's goes to Indio to meet the second place Ortho nine.

Standings at the end of the first round of play:

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CV Hawks 1 4 200 4
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Two Basketball Games Tonight at H.S. Gymnasium

Smoke Tree Stables basketball team, entry in the City Basketball league, meets the Twentynine Palms Marines in the first game of a double-header at 7:15 tonight.

Laurie's Steak Ranch will meet the Marines in the second game at 8:30.

Howard Haddock, city recreation director, said the public was invited to watch the games at the High School gymnasium, free.

FURILLO WANTS L.A.

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Carl Furillo, released by the Los Angeles Dodgers last year, hopes to join the new Los Angeles American League club either as a player or coach, he said today.

SANTA ANITA—Willie Shoemaker, leading jockey, and Hirsch Jacobs, top trainer, arrived yesterday to prepare for the Santa Anita meeting which opens Dec. 26.

PACIFIC COAST FANS SHOW SHARP DECLINE

College Football Crowds Exceed 20 Million Mark

NEW YORK (UPI)—College football attendance rose 4.02 per cent this year to top the 20-million mark for the first time in history.

A National Collegiate Athletic Bureau survey of 620 colleges reveals that 20,403,409 spectators viewed games this year topping the 11-year-old record for total attendance by 751,514. The previous mark, set in 1949, was 19,651,995.

College football attendance in 1960 also set records in average attendance, 7,523 per game, and of 32,909 per home schedule.

THIS WAS THE seventh consecutive season in which college

football attendance increased. The figures show an increase over the last five years of 18 per cent. Total attendance in 1955 was 17,266,556 and in 1959 it was 19,615,344.

Favorable weather was offered by the NCAB as an important reason for this year's increase. NCAB figures showed that 41.6 per cent of all the games in 1959 were played in "unfavorable weather." College officials reported only 13.6 per cent of their games were played under poor weather conditions this year.

Five of the seven geographical sections of the country showed increases, topped by the 26.38 per cent rise in the Rockies. Attendance was up 11.62 per cent in the Midlands, 7.32 per cent in the East, 5.46 per cent in the South and 1.98 per cent in the Midwest.

THE PACIFIC COAST experienced a sharp 6.38 decline while the Southwest was off only 0.96 per cent.

Sectional leaders were Navy and Pittsburgh in the East; Louisiana State, Tulane and Miami in the South; Ohio State and Michigan State in the Midwest; Oklahoma and Colorado in the Midlands; Rice and Texas in the

Southwest; New Mexico and Utah in the Rockies, and Washington and California in the Far West.

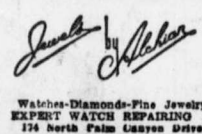
For the third straight year and the sixth time in eight seasons, Ohio State was the individual leader in attendance. The famed "Red Hous" of Columbus, Ohio, poured into the Buckeyes' home stadium at an average of 82,717 for five games—a total of 413,583. Michigan State's average of 68,592 was second best in the nation.

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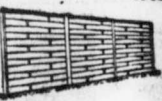
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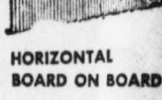
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HONORARY MEMBERSHIP in the Rancho Mirage Chamber of Commerce have been presented to Congressman D. S. Saund and C. R. King, while they and their wives visited at Desert Air Hotel. At the presentation being made by John Noyes, right, director of the chamber and Desert Air manager, are standing, left to right, King, Chamber President Don Cameron and Saund, and seated, Mrs. King and Mrs. Saund. (Lee Wenzlick Photo)

SUNAIR

Friends Get Visit From Oil Engineer

By JEAN PATANE

Here from Oakland after successfully completing requirements for his second engineer's license, Gene Patrick and his bride, the former Linda Sheyer, who were married in Renton, Wash., Oct. 28, arrived Friday for several days visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Patrick and her grandmother Mrs. Maude Griffiths.

Saturday his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Northcutt and children, Gail, Jacqueline, Wallace, Richard and Terry, were here from their home in Arlington for a family get-together at the Patrick home. The young Patricks are scheduled to return north this week. He is associated with Standard Oil out of San Francisco.

Franklin W. Robinson returned to his home in Long Beach Tuesday after spending 11 days at the Melrose Apartments while participating in the golf tournament. Robinson won the championship for Seniors in his age bracket. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Calabria left by plane Tuesday night for their home in West Orange, N. J., following a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Grob.

New arrivals in the desert are Frank Rizzo from San Fernando Valley and Edna Guthrie of Beverly Hills, who have joined Robert Bedford at his Beauty By Bedford Salon in the Sunair Center.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Atkins re-

James Landers Death Reported

Word has been received here of the death of Capt. James W. Landers of Long Beach, former resident here. He was 83.

A dredge master, he took part in the digging of the Panama Canal, and also was a veteran of the Spanish-American War.

Survivors include his widow, Mary G. Landers of Long Beach, and a son, Leonard, of San Mateo. Mrs. Landers will be remembered here as the former Mrs. Mary G. Whitehouse and mother of Mrs. Joe Stuart, who resides at 32-620 Sky Blue Waters Trail.

PAINTED HILLS BID REJECTED; COURT NEXT?

No boundaries were determined and no election date was set by the Board of Supervisors this week on the proposed formation of the Painted Hills Community Services District. Supervisor Paul Anderson explained that the only way the petitioners can force the board to act is to go to court.

There have been numerous requests for exclusion including one entire section of the 4,000-acre area just north of Highway 99 on the highway to Morongo Valley.

The hearing was a continuance of one Nov. 14 at which the supervisorial chamber was filled with opponents to the district. Opponents appearing this week were Mrs. Viola Struchen, Leo Bookman, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stumpf.

Mexico Salute To Be Feature Of Date Festival

INDIO — A celebration saluting Mexico will be one of the many features scheduled for the 15th annual National Date Festival and Riverside County Fair at Indio, Feb. 17-26. Manager Bob Fullender announced yesterday.

The last two days of the Festival have been designated as Salute to Mexico Days. Honored guest on the Feb. 26 will be Eligio Esquivel, governor of Baja, California, Mexico.

Already underway is a search for a young lady of Mexican descent to rule over the festivities. F. A. Corona, chairman of the queen committee, said girls between the ages of 17 and 22 are eligible to compete. Selection of the queen will be on Saturday afternoon. The winner will be announced during a street dance in the evening. The following afternoon she will be crowned by Gov. Esquivel.

Special entertainment Sunday afternoon will include the Governor's official mariachi band.

A committee headed by Gilbert Enriquez is working on a float to be entered in the Date Festival's Washington's Day parade.

Entry blanks for the queen contest can be obtained by writing to Corona at the National Date Festival, Indio.

FARMERS TABS JIM PAGE FOR SCHOOL

Farmers Insurance Group has selected James R. Page, 254 North Palm Canyon Drive, to attend a school for careerman trainees at the organization's Santa Ana Regional Office.

S. T. Emslie, regional manager, said candidates for this school must meet a high set of standards to qualify for training.



HONORING JIM CAVETT, BUILDER of the new Elks Club, Exalted Ruler Jim Metz presents him with a plaque which reads: "In appreciation of a job well done." Cliff Sharp, at left, was head of the building committee. Cavett, a non-Elk, was honored for the job he did at the meeting held last Thursday night. (Desert Sun Photo)

Russian Christmas Is 'Unofficial' But Celebrated

MOSCOW (U) — Christmas in the Soviet Union is becoming more and more a faint echo of the past, but it still is privately celebrated by many Russians.

The Soviet government does not recognize the holiday and in a society where the state runs everything from ice cream stands to toy factories, Christmas festivities pass almost unnoticed.

SOVIET CITIZENS still cling to custom of exchanging gifts, eating festive dinners and attending special church services. But those who are becoming fewer.

Many a non-believer who joins in the festivities does it only because — as one put it — "It's a

good excuse for another party."

The church is the main outside center of the Christmas festivities. And Soviet leaders have discovered it is difficult to pry the people loose from traditions, particularly in small towns and the rural areas.

YOU WON'T FIND any public evidence of Christmas in the Soviet Union. The decorations put up are all labeled for the New Year's celebration which is the big officially approved holiday in the nation.

Another startling difference between Christmas in the West and the Soviet Union exists partly because the Russian Orthodox Church

follows the Byzantine pattern and

Christmas Day falls on Jan. 8. The only sign of Christmas on Dec. 25 in Moscow is the service at the Roman Catholic Church of St. Louis attended by foreigners.

Russians exchange cards, but they are for the New Year.

YOU WON'T FIND one word about Christmas Day in the newspapers, see anything about it on television or hear of it on the radio. And everybody works on Christmas because it passes unrecognized by the state.

The Russian church claims 50 million believers. There are mainly elderly persons, most of whom press into crowded churches for

the colorful midnight Mass on

Christmas Eve.

The Russian Orthodox Churches present a colorful sight during the Christmas celebrations. They are decorated in pine boughs with bright yellow, red, blue and green paper flowers, and white towels beautifully embroidered in splashes of color.

THE CHURCHES BURST with

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MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UPI) — Mrs. K. K. Hopper looked out the window to find a big gasoline truck blocking the driveway. The truck was out of gas.

choirs singing carols. Many of the foreigners in Moscow can be seen observing the four-hour Christmas Eve service celebrated in the magnificent onion-domed Yelikhovsky Cathedral, the main church in Moscow.

At home on Christmas night many Russian families feast on the traditional meal of roast goose stuffed with apples, ham, cakes and wine. Gifts are opened around the Christmas tree which actually is put up for the New Year.

Even some non-religious Soviet citizens of the new order leave the decorated trees up until after Russian Christmas, more or less following the national custom.

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